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Town of

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Public Meetings Scheduled for June

Public Meeting on Storm Drainage Study

The Town of Kitty Hawk will be holding a Public Meeting on the Kitty Hawk Storm Drainage Study on **June 1, 2011 at 6:00 pm** at the Kitty Hawk Municipal Building, 101 Veterans Memorial Drive, Kitty Hawk, NC 27949. The purpose of the meeting will be to hear from Albemarle & Associates on the areas that have been approved for inclusion in the study and possible solutions to the drainage problems in those areas, the anticipated schematic designs, and the permitting ability for those areas under consideration.

FY 2011-2012 Budget Public Hearing

The proposed Fiscal Year 2011-12 Budget for the Town of Kitty Hawk has been filed with the Town Council and is available for public inspection in the Town Hall during normal working hours or on the Town's website at www.townofkittyhawk.org, under Town Budget.



The \$5,819,981.00 recommended budget is based on a tax rate of \$0.18 per \$100.00 of total estimated real valuation of taxable property. A public hearing on the proposed budget has been scheduled for **June 6, 2011 at 6:00 pm** in the Smith Meeting Room, Kitty Hawk Town Hall, 101 Veterans Memorial Dr., Kitty Hawk, N.C. Citizens are invited to make written or oral comments.

Town Calendar and Reminders

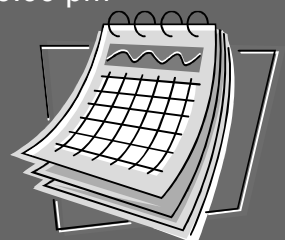
Town Offices Closed—Memorial Day Holiday—Monday, May 30, 2011

Public Meeting, Storm Drainage Study—Thursday, June 1, 6:00 pm

Town Council Meeting—Monday, June 6, 6:00 pm

**Public Hearing on FY 2011-2012 Budget—
Monday, June 6, 6:00 pm**

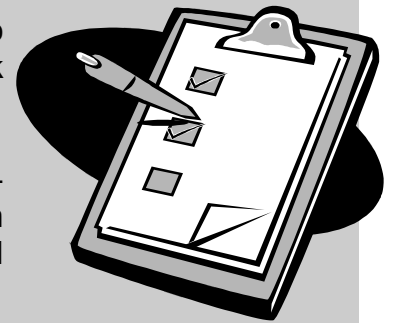
Planning Board Meeting—Thursday, June 16, 6:00 pm



GET READY FOR AN EMERGENCY WITH A PLAN

Family Emergency Plan:

Your family may not be together when disaster strikes, so it is important to plan in advance: how you will contact one another; how you will get back together; and what you will do in different situations.



- Identify an **out-of town contact**. It may be easier to make a long-distance phone call than to call across town, so an **out-of-town contact** may be in a better position to communicate among separated family members.
- Be sure every member of your family **knows the phone number** and has a cell phone, **coins**, or a **prepaid phone card** to call the emergency contact. If you have a cell phone, program that person(s) as "ICE" (In Case of Emergency) in your phone. If you are in an accident, emergency personnel will often check your ICE listings in order to get a hold of someone you know. Make sure to tell your family and friends that you've listed them as emergency contacts.
- Teach family members how to use text messaging. Text messages can often get around network disruptions when a phone call might not be able to get through.
- Subscribe to **alert services**. Dare County uses Nixle which will send instant text alerts or e-mails to let you know about bad weather, road closings, local emergencies, etc. For more information, visit **www.nixle.com**

Planning to Stay or Go:

Depending on your circumstances and the nature of the emergency, the first important decision is whether you stay where you are or evacuate. You should understand and plan for both possibilities. Use common sense and available information, including what you are learning here, to determine if there is an immediate danger. In any emergency, local authorities may or may not immediately be able to provide information on what is happening and what you should do. However, you should watch TV, listen to the radio or check the Internet often for information or official instruction as it becomes available.

You may also want to **inquire about emergency plans** at places where your family spends time: **work**, **daycare** and **school**. If no plans exist, consider volunteering to help create one. Talk to your neighbors about how you can work together in the event of an emergency. You will be better prepared to safely reunite your family and loved ones during an emergency if you think ahead and communicate with others in advance.

Use the [Quick Share application](#) at www.ready.gov to help your family in assembling a quick reference list of contact information for your family, and a meeting place for emergency situations or pick up a form at the Kitty Hawk Town Hall.

Summer Garbage Collection Schedule

The Town of Kitty Hawk contracts with the Dare County Sanitation department to provide garbage pick-up for the Town's residents and businesses.

The Town's normal collection days are **Monday and Thursday**.



Beginning **Saturday, May 28** the Summer trash collection schedule will begin, adding an additional Saturday collection for customers on the beach side of the Bypass.

Please remember that during the Summer, trash pick-up can begin as early as 3:00 a.m., so have your trash cans to the curb the night before.

The Town of Kitty Hawk will have normal Trash Collection Service on Monday, May 30, even though it is the Memorial Day holiday.

Changes to the regular collection schedule are always printed in The Coastland Times and The Outer Banks Sentinel. Any changes will also be posted on Channel 20. If you have a problem or if you have questions, please call Dare County Public Works at (252) 475-5895.

Citizens Needed



The Town of Kitty Hawk is soliciting applications from citizens interested in serving on the following town boards and committees:

- **PLANNING BOARD**
- **BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT**
- **RECREATION COMMITTEE**

Please contact the Town Hall (261-3552)(info@townofkittyhawk.org) for an application form and submit it by May 25, 2011.

Chaplain Needed

The Kitty Hawk Fire Department is in need of a Chaplain. If anyone in the community would be willing to serve as our Chaplain on an interim basis, please contact Chief Lowell Spivey, 261-2666. Thank you.

In Memory of Delano "Leroy" Williams

The Fire Department bids a fond farewell to former Fire Chief, Delano "Leroy" Williams, who passed away on Tuesday, May 17, at Colony Ridge Nursing and Rehabilitation Center in Nags Head. Mr. Williams proudly served in the U. S. Navy and was past Chief of the Kitty Hawk Fire Department. He was a member of Kitty Hawk United Methodist Church and owned Williams Maintenance and Repair. Leroy had also previously worked at Southern Shores Realty and T.A. Loving Company.

His funeral will be held at 2 pm on Friday, May 20, 2011, at Kitty Hawk United Methodist Church with visitation to be held from 1:00 – 2:00 before the service. Burial at Austin Cemetery will follow the service. Twiford Funeral Home in Manteo is handling the arrangements. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations be made, in honor of Mr. Delano Leroy Williams, to the Kitty Hawk Fire Department, P.O. Box 207, Kitty Hawk, NC 27949.

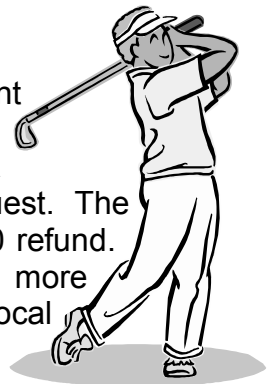
Calls for Emergency Service – April 2011

During the month of April 2011, there were 40 calls for emergency service. The breakdown is as follows:

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| Automatic/Mutual Aid | 4 |
| Building Fire | 1 |
| Dispatched & canceled en route | 2 |
| Medical calls | 26 |
| Motor vehicle accidents | 3 |
| With injuries – 2 | |
| With no injuries 1 | |
| Public service | 1 |
| Service Call | 1 |
| Unauthorized burning | 2 |

Golf Tournament at Sea Scape Golf Links

It's not too late to register a team for the Kitty Hawk Fire Department's Golf Tournament on Saturday, June 4, 2011. A Bar-B-Q dinner and dancing ticket can be purchased separately for \$15.00 per person. Reverse Raffle tickets are still available for a donation of \$100, which includes the barbecue dinner for the ticket holder and one guest. The Reverse Raffle prize will be \$2,500, with the first and fiftieth drawings getting a \$100 refund. Please contact the Kitty Hawk Fire Department at 252-261-2666 for tickets or more information. Come out and support the Kitty Hawk Fire Department and our local sponsors to make this a fun event for all.





Volunteer Firefighters Complete Red Tag Training

Congratulations to Michael W. Basilone (left) and Brian H. Morgan (right), Kitty Hawk residents, who recently completed Kitty Hawk's Red Tag firefighting training program. The training is required of all volunteer firefighters for participation in structure fires.



A new Cooperative Extension program launched this year challenges North Carolinians to save 40 gallons of water per day. The 40-Gallon Challenge allows North Carolinians to compete against other Americans who are taking the challenge in their states.

At the program's website, www.40gallonchallenge.org, North Carolina residents can pledge to adopt water-saving practices and see how many gallons of water they can expect to save.

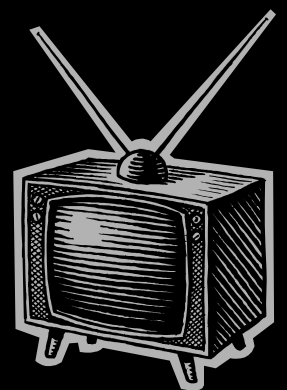
To start saving water and take the challenge, go to the website and complete the checklist of water-saving practices. The checklist includes both indoor and outdoor water-saving tips. For more information on the 40-Gallon Challenge and how to participate, contact Jan Perry-Weber, [252-2262](tel:252-2262), or email jan_perry-weber@ncsu.edu at the Currituck County Center of NC Cooperative Extension.

**Next Council Meeting Monday, June 6, 2011
6:00 pm**

Can't Attend Council Meeting?

**Don't forget to tune-in to Government Access Channel 20
(Charter Cable Subscribers)**

**The Council meeting is aired Thursday and Sunday directly following the
meeting at 1:00 pm and 7:00 pm**



***Kitty Hawk Fire Department is
Recruiting Volunteers
Incentives Available
Call 252-261-2666 for more
information.***



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Town Website: www.townofkittyhawk.org

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